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NO FURTHER REDUCTION OF RATES TO BE MADE

Announcement Shocks Coal Operators of Pittsburg District

HURTS THE LAKE TRADE

Matter Taken Up With Interstate Commerce Cammission by Pittsburg Men

Pittsburg coal operators were given a shock Friday when the announcement came that the Interstate Commerce Commission had refused to further reduce the rates on coal from the Pittsburg district to the lakes as had been asked in a petition filed after the Commission on March 11, last ordered a reduction in the then existing rates from 88 to 78 cents a ton.

This ends the contest for lower freight rates as far as the Interstate Commerce Commission is concerned and as far as it is possible to go in the present proceedings; but there was considerable talk among the leading operators that the end of the battle is not yet and that they will not rest until they have demanded a Congressional investigation of the whole rate situation or until the question has been taken up by the Federal Department of Justice

The original complaint was filed before the interstate body by John W. Boileau of Pittsburg, representing himself and other independent operators, and their petition was joined in soon afterward by the Pittsburg Coal Company. The report of the Interstate Commission ordering the 10-cent reduction in rates, upheld the contention of the operators in every particular, although the cut of 10 cents was not considered by them sufficient. However, there was no intention of making any further complaint until the action of the roads serving the West Virginia fields against the competition of which the Pittsburg operators sought relief—virtually nullified the decree of the interstate body and left the dates to all intents and purposes where they were before the complaint was filed.

The West Virginia roads, long before the complaint of the local shippers was filed had asked the Interstate Commerce Commission for permission to raise their rates. A higher West Virginia rate would have tended to equalize the discrimination charged by the Pittsburg district shippers. But the West Virginia roads never availed themselves of the opportunity w hich they had sought for two years or more. Instead when the decree of the commerce body reducing the Pittsburg rates was handed down they actually lowered their rates from one section and from another left the rate the same.

In their second petition the Pittsburg shippers pointed out that by this action the decree of the Interstate Commerce Commission went for naught and maintained that there should be a further reduction of the tariff from this dictrict to the lakes. The argument was in effect the same as that in the first complaint and there never was the least doubt among the Pittsburg men that, inasmuch as the commission had upheld their contentions in the first place, there could be any other than a decision in their favor.

Engineer is Elected

North Charleroi Hires Alexander Gray, of Charleroi for Work

North Charleroi council at a special meeting on Saturday night elected Alexander Gray of Charleroi to the position of borough engineer. Gray is the Charleroi borough engineer. He will serve both boroughs jointly. North Charleroi will have considerable street improvement and sewering to be done this summer or fall. Part of a bond issue voted for recently will be used for that purpose.

CLASS TO RECEIVE DIPLOMAS

Douglas College Commencement to be Held Tuesday Night

THIRTY-ONE GRADUATES

Commencement exercises will be held Tuesday night by the graduating class of Douglas Business college at School Hall. Rev. W. W. Hall of Braddock will make the address of the evening, and the diplomas to the 31 graduates will be presented by Prof Warren Douglas, head of the college.

An excellent commencement program will be carried out. Three orations will be delivered, including the salutatory by Miss Lillian Snead of Fayette Clay, the valedictory by Darwin Barth of Charleroi and an oration by Robert Gregg of Speers. Class poems will be handled by Eva I.Brantana, Miss Sara Jackson and Hugh Smith. The invocation will be said by Rev. J. T. Hackett of the First Presbyterian church and the benediction by Rev. E. G.Stanley of the First Baptist church. Wheeler's Orchestra will render music.

On Thursday night of this week an alumni banquet will be held at the Hotel Grand, Monessen,by the Douglas College Alumni. A committee consisting of Miss Margaret Miller, Paul Ryland, Miss Mabel Strausser, Miss Romala Anderson and Miss Alice Devore is making arrangements for the banquet. The program committee for the affair consists of M. Adams, Miss Emma Bastow, Miss Sara Shields, Miss P. Saturday and Miss Elizabeth Fitzgerald. The concluding event of commencement week will be a picnic at Eldora Park of the graduates and their friends.

Horse Runs Away.

When a horse of P. Deprez's bakery ran away on Crest avenue Saturday a wagon was smashed. The horse is said to have been started by a boy hitting it with a stick.

IMPORTANT EVENTS AT CONVENTION END

William H. Taft to be Standard Bearer of Republican Party--Roosevelt One of So-Called Progressive Leaders

Two great events featured the closing of the Republican National convention at Chicago Saturday. One of these was the re-nomination of President Taft as the Repuvlican candidate for President, and the other was the birth of a new political party. The latter was formulated by the disgruntled followers of Col. Roosevelt who, beaten in the convention. organized a rump convention of their own in another hall after President Taft was chosen, and placed Theodore Roosevelt in nomination. The new party is likely to be known as the Progressive party.

Only one ballot was necessary for the nomination of President Taft, whose running mate is James S.Sherman of New York, his vice president of the present administration. The result of the first ballot was: Taft, 561, Cummins 17, La Follette 41, Roosevelt 107, Hughes 2, and 344 refusing to vote. The latter were Roosevelt delegate. By request Col. Roosevelt's name was not presented to the convention, but 107 delegates voted for him anyhow.

Of the 74 Pennsylvania delegates 9 voted for Taft, 2 for Hughes and 1 was absent, 62 refusing to vote Vice President Sherman was renominated by a vote of 597, 352 delegates not voting and 71 being absent.

Immediately after the nominations the Roosevelt contingent repaired to Orchestra Hall a mile distant from the Colliseum, and took preliminary steps to form a new party. Col. Roosevelt was unanimously made the choice as a candidate for President, and steps will be taken to organize a new party in every state. Another convention will be held in August, when Roosevelt announced that if desired he would retire in favor of another candidate.

The Republican platform, which is conservatively progressive, was adopted at the regular convention by a large vote.

President W. H. Taft, Renominated At the Republican Convention

HAS EXPERIENCE WITH CARNIVAL

Brownsville Experiments With Affair Monessen is to Get

Monessen this week will be the scene of things somewhat racy if rumors are correct and Webster's Unabridged is to be believed. A carnival has set upon the town—a carnival it is said that has come all the way from West Brownsville, where it showed last week. Whether Monessen is a party to the scheme of getting there the kind of affair that made Kittanning famous is a question for debate, but evidences there are that it is there.

There are some wild and woolly stories told of and preached about in Brownsville of the affair that showed there six days of last week. It went to West Brownsville under the title. "Great United Shows," and pitched tents just outside the borough limits. It is usual for a carnival to carry one Little Egypt, or head dancer. The Great United is said to have had three.

According to persons alleged to have seen the show at West Brownsville the damsels went precendent, Mary Garden, and the originator of the snake dance, the sun dance, the passion dance, the Salome and all the rest about forty times better. Whereas Mary Garden or some of the rest would cloak their modesty under a short string of beads,these young women who did the dance with the carnival, it is stated having no beads had to use a smile, w hich when it came to covering sheer nakedness proved a most cheerful failure. This show of course proved to be the main attraction at West Brownsville—this is all rumor bear in mind—but others attracted some too.

Among them it is said were some devices where you might do several things. For instance if you put up a dollar, you might get a part of it back and you might not. It was more often you might not than might however. Such is the kind of attraction that is said to have come to Monessen, and if rumor is to be trusted, is bound to make things warm there. At least one minister in Brownsville gave a portion of his sermon over to the carnival, and before Monessen gets through, it is not improbable that town will be listening to a few words of advice.

AUTOISTS CHARGED WITH VIOLATIONS

Claimed They Pay no Attention to Warning to Blow Horns at Crossings

Attention has been called to a violation of law by a number of autoists in Charleroi. This is in not blowing horns at street corners. Signs are posted at various corners warning autoists to blow their horns. This is a means of avoiding accidents. Regardless of the intention of the law it is alleged autoists fail to heed the warning. The probabilities are that unless this law is obeyed there will be some fines and costs to pay.

Another law that is being violated it is stated is that of running without lights, particularly rear lights. This statute will be enforced along with others.

Park Drew Large Crowds.

Large crowds were in attendance at Eldora Park Sunday. Many people from all points up and down the river took occasion to spend the whole or a part of the day in the open, where the pleasant surroundings added much to their comfort. Two splendid concerts were given by Louhi's Band from Monessen and a compnay of Socialists present took advantages of the situation to speak and discuss the political situation.

Curb Market Tomorrow.

Tomorrow, Tuesday, is one of the regular curb market days on Sixth street. Each succeeding date has been better than the preceeding one, and indications are that more and a greater variety of produce will be offered for sale tomorrow than at any of the other markets. Housewives and citizens generally are urged to bear the fact in mind that the market will be open at an early hour, and the first ones there get the best selections.

Owing to the clerks' annual Picnic Berryman's Store will close at 5 o'clock on Wednesday evening, June 26. 276-12

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CATHOLIC FEDERATION IN QUARTERLY SESSION

Washington County Organization Meets in Charleroi

JOHN MARRON SPEAKS

Pittsburger Addresses on Theme of American Citizen

Between 150 and 200 persons were present at the quarterly meeting of the Washington County Federation of Catholic societies held at Turner Hall here Sunday afternoon. This number included several delegates from all over Washington county. The main feature of the meeting was an address by John Marron, Esq., of Pittsburg.

A business meeting was held at 3 o'clock, just preceding the address by Mr. Marron. At this the routine of affairs was taken up and reports received. President Joseph Schmidt of Donora presided at the meeting.

Mr. Marron's talk was on the theme of American citizenship. He spoke of the high aims every American citizen should have and of their duty to church. "A good Catholic is a good citizen," he declared, "and the better Catholic one is the better citizen he is." He spoke of the temptations that befall one in every day life and of the plan of life as he saw it, there being a continual fight for right. Luncheon was served after his address. In the evening John W. Carroll of Charleroi entertained Mr. Marron and a dozen others at a dinner at the Monier Hotel.

The Washington County Federation includes a number of Catholic lodges in the county. Four societies from St. Jerome's church here are affiliated with the federation. They are the Knights of St. George, the Ancient Order of Hibernians, the Ladies Catholic Benevolent Association, and the Catholic Mutual Beneficial Association.

Joseph Schmidt of Donora is president of the Federation; Thomas McAllister of Finleyville, is the recording secretary; Mrs. Anna Dahy of Donora is the financial secretary and Miss Sara Shields of Charleroi is the treasurer. The last quarterly meeting was held at Donora.

Much Money on Interest

Individual Savings Now on Deposit in Banks in County

The county commissioners have just compiled from the assessors' returns the amount of money at interest in the different districts of the county. The grand total is $18,182,126 In Washington alone there is $3,507,990. In East Washington there is $1,899,102 in money at interest. The amount returned from Charleroi is $32,273.

STATE TO CARE FOR VICTIMS

Provides Tetanus Serum for Use of Fourth Celebrants

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The 67 tetanus antitoxin stations throughout the Commonwealth have received their supplies from the Department of Health and are ready to meet the usual Fourth of July demands.

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Any physician can secure an immunizing dose of 1500 units free upon applying to a distributing station on certifying that it is for the treatment of a person too poor to pay.

In urging the prompt use of antitoxin to prevent lock-jaw following explosives and other wounds, Dr. Dixon Commissioner of Health says:

"Do not consider any such wounds trivial, send for a physician at once. If it is impossible to promptly secure his attendance, wash out the wound thoroughly with hot, boiled water, remove every particle of foreign matter and until the doctor arrives, apply a wet dressing; cloths saturated with a solution made by adding a teaspoon full of salt to a pint of boiled water."

The antitoxin may be obtained at pharmacies of Valentine Bros., Washington; W. K. Ehrenfield,Greensburg; R. E. Springer, Uniontown; and Bean & Dunn, McKeesport.

Auto Factory For Washington.

Contracts have been let for the building of the structures of the Croxton Motor Car company plant at Washington. This company formerly operated in Cleveland, and was induced to locate at Washington through the influence of the county seat board of trade.

MONESSEN PEOPLE PLAN INSTITUTION OF A Y. M. C. A.

A movement is on foot to establish a Young Men's Association in Monessen. A committee has been appointed to ascertain the cost of a location which may be equipped with pool tables, bowling alleys, shower baths, and reading and recreation rooms. The movement is the outcome of a desire on the part of the Men's Federated Adult Bible classes for a social center. It is stated that already $3,000 has been subscribed for the project.

Rev. F. A. Richards is in Pittsburg today on business.

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June 23 In American History.

1860—The split Democratic conventions nominated Stephen A. Douglas and John C. Breckinridge as rival candidates, giving the election to Lincoln and resulting in civil war.

1862—Congress passed the internal revenue act taxing trade, industry and incomes to sustain the war fund.

1865—Admiral Samuel Francis Dupont, U. S. N., distinguished in the civil war, died; born 1803 Blockade of southern seaports ended by proclamation.

1892—Grover Cleveland nominated for president at Chicago by a vote of 616 out of 906.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 7:35, rises 4:20. Evening stars: Mars, Jupiter, Mercury. Morning stars: Venus, Saturn.

June 24 In American History.

1753—General William Hull, soldier, born, died 1825; surrendered Detroit to the British in 1812

1813—Henry Ward Beecher born at Litchfield, Conn; died 1887

1833—John Randolph of Roanoke, noted and eccentric Virginia statesman died; born 1773

1910—Senator Gore of Oklahoma charged that a $50,000 bribe had been offered to him to permit validation by congress for the sale of Indian lands

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TAFT FOR PRESIDENT.

In renominating President Taft as the candidate of the Republican party for President, the leaders may not have showed good judgment from a political standpoint as viewed in a practical way, but they did show their appreciation and the appreciation of the party to the administration of an executive who in the face of much popular discontent and revolt has filled the executive chair with ability, dignity and force. It has always been the custom to honor a President who has made a progressive and honorable administration with a second term and President Taft is no exception.

In view of the great political unrest that is everywhere apparent, due to changing economic conditions, political exigency might have dictated the nomination of another candidate, but as it is policies and not men which must determine the issue, President Taft was the logical candidate of his party. His ability, integrity, and patriotism stand unquestioned, and his desire to adminster justly and impartially to all of the people as indicated by public sentiment is also incontrovertible. The great opposition that has been directed against him is due to conditions and not to any derelictions or omissions on his part. In this he has been the victim of circumstance which under different conditions would never have figured in the campaign.

Any executive who may be elected at this particular period will have a story time guiding the ship of state, and no man is so ably qualified as President Taft. He should be re-elected.

A SAFE AND SANE FOURTH

Although a trifle early, newspapers and periodicals are soundig a note of warning in regard to a safe and sane Fourth of July. This is particularly timely, inasmuch as the casualities that have resulted from celebrating dation, have exceeded in killed alone the lives lost in the whole eight years of the war of the Revolution.

It is with juveniles in particular that care needs to be exercised in the way of a safe and sane observance of the Fourth. The explosives that are usually available to the average small boy are a deadly menace and there is scarcely a community in which there is not a toll exacted in maimed or injured because of the license and liberty granted in the use of explosives. A boy blinded here by the premature explosion of a giant firecracker; another there minus a thumb or a finger, or one or two killed or wounded by the premature discharge or explosion of an improvised cannon are the ghastly reports that greet the public the next day after the Fourth. The aggregate of these constitutes a mighty toll thoughout the country.

Every father should carefully watch his young hopeful, and see that he runs no unnecessary risk. By so doing he can preserve the youngster's anatomy intact, which will be useful to the boy in after life, to say nothing of trouble and expense at the present time. Give the boy a good time, but see that he does not injure himself or any of his playmates.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

The man who always tries to get prices reduced is never popular.

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There are other kinds of successful parades than a circus parade.

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When they insist in calling Roosevelt the hero of Oyster Bay is a deep problem. He never did anything very heroic there, unless it was to spend his summers.

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Finally a man is trying to invent something worth while. It is a kind of liquid gas.

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Monessen pulls off about one old fashioned joke a year, and it has some very queer ideas of humor in making its selection. This year's is to be a carnival.

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There needs to be no need of the familiar shout, "Get the Hook," out at Chicago.

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Telling a deligate where he will go to if he doesn't vote a certain way seems to have little effect on him.

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It's a bum home, according to an exchange that a man isn't glad to get back to after a vacation.

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An exchange remarks that it is very hard to find a woman pessimist. But we know of one who tried to commit suicide.

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Who said that the time of the ward politician is past?

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The moving picture men will have to start up a new brand of revolution, or suffer the ntire lack of patronage.

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When prudence comes to a man he is generally too old for it to do him any good.

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Some men fail because they think this is the age of living instead of moving pictures.

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History invariably repeats itself at the family reunion.

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Many men are progressives in politics, but rank conservatives when the contribution plate comes around.

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The whale that swallowed Jonah is said to be the original water wagon.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

Dr. John E. Carson speaking at the Sunday School convention tent told a story of Lord Roseberry and Sir Joseph Chamberlain, two of the most noted men of recent English history. They saw a policeman asleep on his beat in London—a remarkable thing. Stopping to discuss the phenamena, they spied a boy, and called him

"Here," Lord Roseberry said to the lad, "You take this stick and waken him."

The boy demurred at first, through fear, but finally agreed. When he did awaken the policeman, of course the first thing the cop did was to give chase. He caught the youngster, and placed him under arrest. Lord Roseberry and Sir Joseph protested and the policeman took them too.

Before the magistrate they were immediately taken. "What is your name," asked that dignatary of Lord Roseberry."

"Lord Roseberry, sir."

The boy drew aside with the thought that he was surely in the presence of rayalty.

"And who are you," the magistrate inquired of Chamberlain.

"Sir Joseph Chamberlain sir."

The lad was made more nervous than ever, and thought sure here he was with fame—that is, apparently he thought so.

Completing his entry, the magistrate turned to the lad and asked:

"And what is you name."

The youngster drew himself to his fullest height and with an air of pride delivered himself:

"I am the Duke of Wellington, sir."

"That," concluded Dr. Carson," is what I call rising to the occasion."

Prof. Charles Scanlon didn't have any overflow meeting to address at the First Christian church Friday night, but he was given 15 minutes following the address of Dr. J. F. Carson at the Sunday School convention tent. He wasn't long getting the ear of his audience. Among other stories he related one about as follows:

"A man called in a doctor to see his wife who has been ailing for some weeks. Hardly had the doctor seen the woman until he advised the man thusly: 'You will have to send her to a warmer place.'

"But, doctor—."

"No buts, these are my orders."

"All right, then, here's the hatchet, you hit 'er first."

Italian Winters.

The people of Florence, Italy, have a dislike for heating devices in their houses, although the weather in winter, especially when the tramontane is blowing, is uncomfortably cold. None of the houses have fireplaces, and the man who warms himself by means of the "scaldino," a pan of glowing ashes, is considered effeminate.

Nothing to Worry About.

"Are you not afraid that some of your children will fall into that open cistern?" asked the nervous boarder, looking over the picket fence in the back yard. "Oh, no, mum," came the complacent reply. "Anyhow, it ain't where we gets our drinkin' water."—Hampton's Magazine.

All Active.

Don't be a clam, my son; but if an old friend comes to you and asks for the loan of $5 until Saturday night, just close your shell for repairs. It may look rude, but under some circumstances it is better to leave than to be left.

Five Languages at Tailors' Meeting.

At the meeting of the International Journeymen Tailors' Union over eight hundred people employed in the trade turned out. English, Irish, Scotch, Hebrew, French, Italian and Finnish were used by the speakers in their addresses.—Toronto Globe.

Searchlight on the Sky.

Mrs. E. A. Bishop of Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "I should like to have the merits of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound thrown on the sky with a searchlight, so that all suffering women could read and be convinced that there is a remedy for their ills. For years I was a great sufferer from organic female troubles and had despaired of ever being well again, but found relief in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which I tried as a last resort."

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Sealed bids will be received by J. M. Hill, secretary, until July 2 at 6 p. m. for the erecting and furnishing of slate black boards for six rooms of the Ninth street school building, 1,275 square feet more or less. Slate must be four feet wide. The board reserves the right to reject any
274-t9 J. M. Hill, Sec.

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LOCAL DEMOCRATS OFF TO CONVENTION

Charleroi will be represented at the Democratic national convention this week at Baltimore, Md., by Dr. J. W. Manon and E. H. Arrison, both prominent Democrats in this county. They obtained seats for the convention from the national chairman, Norman Mack.

YOUNG PEOPLE TAKE TRIP BY STEAMBOAT

A party of 46 young people from Charleroi, Monessen, Fayette City, Donora, Belle Vernon and other points nearby, took a trip to Morgantown Saturday night by the boat I. C. Woodward returning on Sunday night. They took their own orchestra and enjoyed themselves generally.

Organize Military Band.

At a meeting at Monongahela held last week the Monongahela Military Band was re-organized. The original organization dates back 20 years or more. It is the intention to revive the organization and have a first-class band. A leader and officers will be chosen later.

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Facial Expression Is Constantly Changing and Correctly to Determine Character From It Is a Fine and Intricate Art.

The living face in its relation to the real character might be likened to an expert juggler manipulating the various articles of his mystic trade. Except in moments of revery or abstraction the expression is constantly changing; it scarcely remains the same for five consecutive seconds. It is a case of "Now you see me, and now you dont't," and it is extremely difficult to determine when you may be catching a glimpse of the real character, and when the fleeting expression may be a misleading token, involuntary, perhaps, on the part of the individual, but cunningly calculated by nature to deceive the eye of the speciator.

Hence the genuine ability to "read character" in facial expression is much rarer than is commonly supposed. It is not only a fine art but an intricate one. Most persons who fancy that they possess it in some degree are really proceeding upon a sort of blind instinct, which is likely to be deceived entirely by superficial indications. The accurate judges of men are extremely scarce; their gift is one which should invariably lead them to success if they are blessed with half an opportunity.

The appraisal of character by photographic evidence may be as erroneous as that which is based on the living face, but at least the photograph gives opportunity for continuous study and shows none of those shifting moods which are sure to confuse the judgment. The camera catches its subject as he or she may appear at the given moment. It may be an inopportune moment, the camera may be a poor one, there may be a fault in the plate, or the photographer may lack skill, but something of the true soul and character of the subject is bound to appear on the surface and to stand revealed to all who see it.

The truth may be somewhat qualified by the fact that the average person in front of the camera is invariably more or less self-conscious, but in general effect the dominant qualities are at least partially revealed, so that in almost any photographic portrait one may see strength of character, vanity, self-esteem, nobility, meanness, fussiness, unscrupulousness or what not, as the case may be.

When photographs are "reproduced" by half-tone process the essential facts of the physiognomy are sometimes obscured, especially in the hurried processes of newspaper portraiture. Still, in all but the most atrocious examples of such art, these essential facts show through, even if it be with but a dim glow.—Providence Journal.

Washington Man's White Farm.

Eugene Jacquemin has acquired his heart's desire, a farm on which are pure white animals and fowls, all housed in spotless shelters and permitted to roam within bounds of snowy fences. This "white farm" is unique because it contains many specimens of albino wild animals and birds.

White horses do all the farm work and are the drivers and saddle animals. White ponies play with the children. White cows furnish butter and milk. There are white hogs, sheep and goats. The pigeons, chickens, ducks, geese, turkeys and guinea fowls were imported from Africa. A novelty is a pair of peacocks pure white. About the yard three spitz dogs play and white Persian cats lounge on the porches. In the orchard the eccentric farmer has an albino elk, three white deer, a mountain sheep and a polar bear cub. These are in aviaries a pure white magpie, white blackbirds, pheasants, wild swan, cranes and storks.—Puyallup correspondence St. Paul Dispatch.

The Defendant's Version.

Referring to his diary of June 22, 1908, Mr. Studley said it was untrue that, coming home from Lady Glen-Coats' ball, he violently pulled his wife out of a cab and forced her onto her knees, so that she fell on the pavement.

What occurred was this: "About ten minutes to 2, at the ball, I went to my wife and said, 'Cherub, are you ready to go home?' She said, 'Oh, let me stay a little.' I said, 'Very well; I'll come back shortly.' About five minutes past 2 I asked her if she were ready, and she, with very bad grace, said, 'Yes.' I said, 'I can't get up in the morning if I don't go to bed.' We got into a hansom, and during the short distance to Sloan street she turned on me in a temper and said, 'You spoil all my fun, you brute,' and she let out at me and smashed my hat down over my face—all for nothing."—London Daily News.

Force of Habit Strong.

At the informal gambol which was given by the Chicago members of the Lambs' club recently, John Drew told of an actor who had the misfortune to fall off a ferry boat at night. Of course there was great confusion on board. The searchlight was turned round and round in an effort to find the man. He came up for the third time just as the light struck him, and from force of habit the actor raised himself and delivered a most ceremonious bow. Then the rescuers grabbed him.

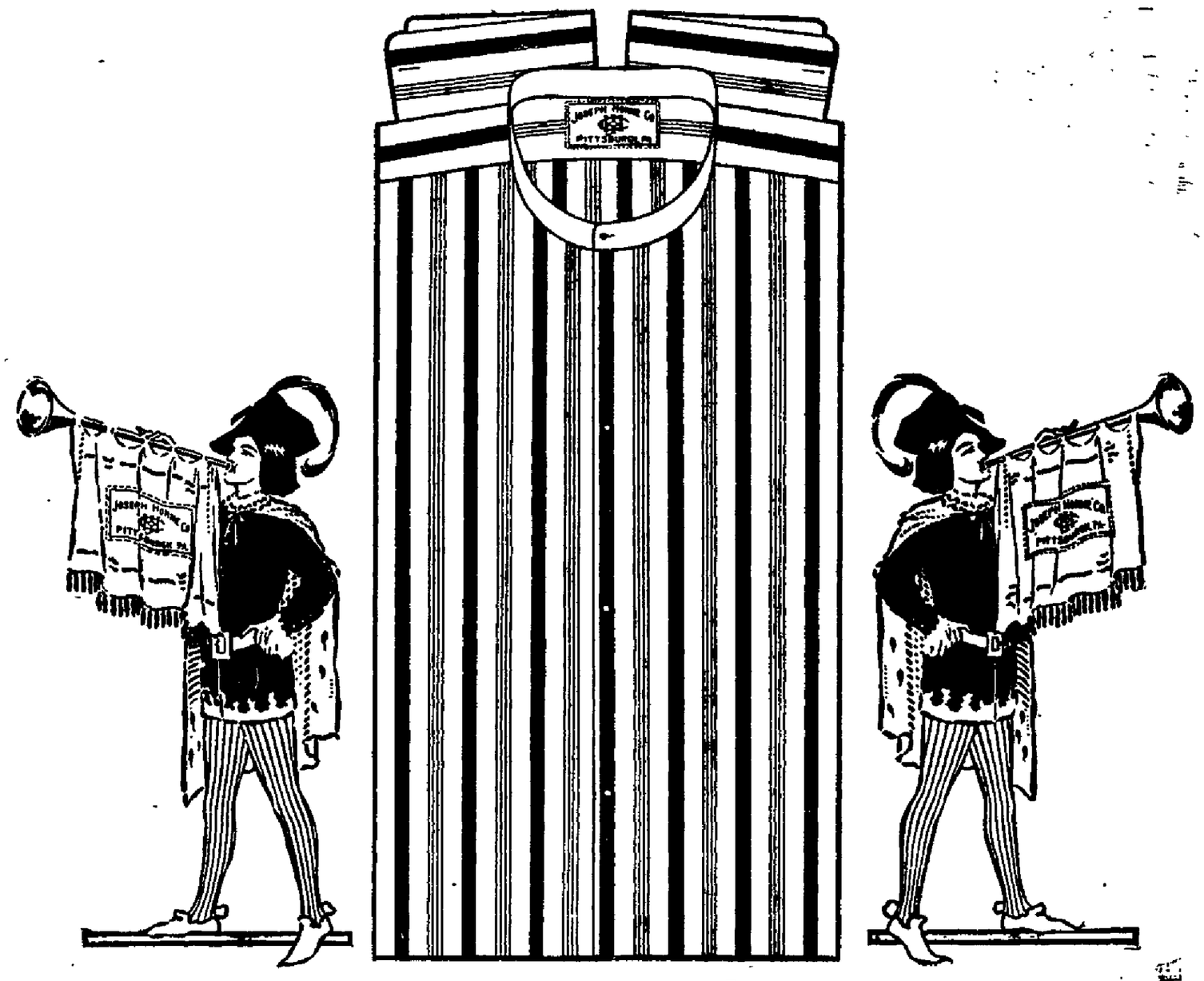
JOSEPH HORNE CO.

OF PITTSBURGH

Announce that the world's largest sale of Men's Shirts will be held this summer on

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of This week, June 26, 27, 28 and 29.

It is known as their



SEMI-ANNUAL 85¢ SHIRT SALE

Horne's Shirt Sale is known in thousands of homes in and around Pittsburgh. It is held twice a year and in the past 15 years has grown to be the LARGEST SALE OF MEN'S SHIRTS IN THE WORLD.

Last January we sold 22,500 shirts.

This sale will have in it 30,000 shirts—the largest single order ever placed with a manufacturer.

As heretofore, the price will be 85c.

The unique feature of the 1912 summer sale will be the enormous quantities of all sizes, particularly the great varieties of shirts FOR LARGE MEN—sizes to 20 neck, and bodies cut to FIT MEN WHO REQUIRE THAT SIZE.

Men who can not attend this sale, and who can not be represented by some member of the family, may mail us their order, stating the size and quantity desired and the patterns they prefer. Our selections will be sent you subject to your approval and at our risk.

ALSO IN THIS SALE ARE THE FOLLOWING:

Men's collars, 4 ply, $1.00 a dozen. Pajamas, $1.50 a Suit.

Silk Lisle Socks, guaranteed for service, 25c a pair.

50c Washable neckwear for 25c each. Fine quality Muslin Nightshirts, 50c each.

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Have you fitted out your porch with Shades and Rugs? If you haven't do you realize what comfort you are missing.

You should have a Vudor Porch Shade to protect you from the summer sun. They keep out the sun but let the air through, you can see out but passers-by cannot see in. They make your porch light, airy, private---in fact an outside room.

Porch mattings are essential to cleanliness and comfort. We carry a full line of Grass Rugs and Runners. Rugs in all sizes. runners 27 inches, 36 inches, 54 inches and 72 inches wide. Priced **40c** to **$1.15.**

VUDOR SHADES

4 feet by 7 feet 8 inches, $2.25 **8 feet by 7 feet 8 inches. $4.25**
6 feet by 7 feet 8 inches. $3.25 **10 feet by 7 feet 8 inches, $5.50**
12 feet by 7 feet 8 inches, $7.50

VUDOR RE-ENFORCED HAMMOCKS, $1.75 to $6.00

Owing to the Clerks' Annual Picnic the store will close at 5 o'clock p. m., on Wednesday, June 26th

S. & H. Stamps **J. W. Berryman & Son** S. & H. Stamps

CHARLEROI'S LIVE STORE

REFUSES TO GO HOME; FIGHT IS FINAL RESULT

When friends tried to take Joe Poppish home Saturday, after arguing that he "had had enough" they stirred up trouble that ended in police court. Chums of Joe's were arguing with him when John Molinsbock came along. He too was a friend of Joe's and undertook to persuade the latter that his proper place was in bed asleep.

Joe didn't seem to think so, and became so annoyed at the arguing that he grabbed John's shirt and started to tear it. Joe is a little fellow and John a man of considerable proportion.

Finally John became peeved at the kind of behavior of Joe and punched him one. Then there was a fight. Joe got kicked twice in the head, so that after he was brought to the lockup a doctor had to be called. Joe was fined $1 and costs and John was given the same dose. The doctor's bill was divided and everything ended happily.

MONONGAHELA FINDS PLAYGROUNDS NEED

The Monongahela Republican says that the police there are having a lot of trouble with juvenile offenders. Boys now out of school are trespassing on private property, jumping on and off freight and street cars, and raising cain generally. Monongahela has as yet no public playground, but by following Charleroi's example would do much to mitigate these offenses by boys who have no place or opportunity to give vent to their animal spirits.

ADOLPH BEIGEL

SPECIAL

365 Pairs of Ladies' 2 Strap Slippers, worth $3, Special

$1.00

461 Pairs of Ladies' White Button Shoes, worth $3.00 Special

$1.95

ADOLPH, of Course

502 Fallowfield Ave., - - Charleroi, Penna.

NARROWLY ESCAPE SERIOUS ACCIDENT

Auto Cross Walk and Heads for House When Driver Loses Control

In losing control of his automobile while teaching a young woman how to run it Sunday afternoon, J. F. Donaghy narrowly escaped a serious accident that might have resulted in the death or severe injury of three or more persons. Mr. Donaghy and the girl had gone around one square, it is stated and were coming up Ninth street to Fallowfield avenue, the girl was at the wheel and Mr. Donaghy standing on the running board assisting her, when they lost control of the machine. It wheeled and went across he sidewalk in front of the home of Mrs. Delia Halstead and up into the lawn.

Three children, the son of Mrs. Halstead, a daughter of Joseph Irose and a daughter of Councilman Oscar C. Linn were on the walk playing. The machine nearly struck them. It stopped a short distance from the front of the porch. Merely by luck did the machine maintain its upright position. Had it gone but a few inches farther or had it overturned the results might have been fatal to the occupants and the children nearby.

COMMENCEMENT NOW UNDER WAY

California Normal Graduates to Receive Sheepskins This Week

With many of the alumni of the school back to attend the exercises and everything pointing to one of the greatest events in the history of the school, the commencement exercises at the Southwestern State Normal school at California are now in full swing.

At the school building on Saturday evening the reception to the members of the senior class and a few invited guests was given by the members of the faculty and the board of trustees.

Sunday morning Dr. H. B. Davis principal of the school delivered the baccalaureate sermon to the class.

Sunday evening the vesper services were held at which Prof. H. S. Howell, principal of the Ashburnham school, of Massachusetts, addressed the graduating class.

Features scheduled for today were the annual inter-class tennis tourney in the morning at 9:30 o'clock and the play to be given by the middler class in the evening. The production will be Shakespeare's "The Tempest."

NOT RECKLESS BUT WANT TO DRIVE 24 MILES PER HOUR

At a meeting of the Automobile Club of Washington county, held in the club headquarters at Washington June 21, it was

Resolved, That the members of the club are opposed to reckless and unlawful driving, but resent the attempt of certain officials of the county to restrict automobiles to a speed of less than 24 miles an hour on country roads; particularly on the road out Locust avenue.

Resolved, further, That the curb shall defend, free of cost any member of the club who is arrested for speeding on country roads in case the member so arrested is willing to testify that he was driving at a speed of 21 miles or less an hour, and that there were no circumstances which made that speed dangerous either to himself or to others.

JACKY ADAMS' TEAM BEATEN

The Charleroi Independents defeated the Homestead Independents at baseball on the local field Saturday by the schore of 4 to 3. Jacky Adams who last winter headed the Charleroi basketball team was at the head of the visiting delegation and pitched for the Homesteaders. He did a pretty good job of it, but Keifer seemed to have something the better of him. Charleroi got its four runs in the third inning on two hits and misplays to match. Homestead secured its three runs in the sixth inning on the same number of hits.

One More Day

BOTTLE REXALL "93" HAIR TONIC $1.00
GUARANTEED BRUSH $1.00
TOTAL $2.00

You get it today for $1.00

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THE REXALL STORE

LOCAL MENTION

Warren Kinder and Floyd Caulfant were in Brownsville Sunday, where the former sang at the Central Presbyterian church.

Owing to the clerks' annual Picnic Berryman's Store will close at 5 o'clock on Wednesday evening, June 26. 276-12

Controller John Moffitt of Washington and brother, Guy Moffitt, Esq., were in Brownsville from Charleroi Sunday.

Eddie Butz, formerly a member of Christ Lutheran church baseball team in the Charleroi Church League arrived Saturday for a visit.

F. E. Bonnell and sister Miss Lucy and Miss Bertha V. Baker are absent on a trip to Philadelphia, New York city and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Riggs and daughter Metta of Pittsburg have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Reeves of Fallowfield avenue.

Miss Nancy Frye of Gallatin, Tenn has returned home after a visit of some weeks with Miss Leona Evan.

Bruce Barnett witnessed a base ball game in Pittsburg Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis P. Flickinger, Jr., were Sunday visitors in Pittsburg.

Miss Lulu Johnson spent Sunday in McKeesport with relatives.

Roy James and Robert Worthington were in California Saturday to attend a Normal School reception.

Mrs. T. F. Lindsay and nephew have gone to Bellwood where they will visit relatives.

D. C. Whitlatch visited Sunday in Rices Landing at the home of his brother, John L. Whitlatch.

H. P. Jacobs has returned from a fishing trip near Howard, Center county.

Mrs. Elmer Small and her father, Barney Sharpnack have gone to Rices Landing to visit.

Miss Fannie Arrison and Muriel Scott have gone to State College to spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Parkinson, who live near Waynesburg have been visiting the latter's parents, Dr. and Mrs. N. W. Patton of Washington avenue.

Mrs. Elizabeth Warne of Washington was an over Sunday visitor of her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Hunter of Washington avenue.

Miss Margaret Crouse of Wilkinsburg is the guest this week of Miss Vida Goehring of Meadow avenue.

M. W. Bartmess of Wilkinsburg was a visitor at the home of L. H. Goehring of Meadow avenue over Sunday.

Miss Kate Gamble, a member of this year's High School class, passed junior and middle year examinations at California and is ready to enter the senior class for next year.

Mrs C. R. Trew has arrived home after an extended visit among friends and relatives at Republic, Lemont, Mt. Braddock and Pennsville.

GOOD MENU AT HONOR DINNER

The following menue was served at the dinner given Sunday evening by John W. Carroll in honor of John Marron, Esq., of Pittsburg, the speaker at the Federated Catholic societies' meeting here Sunday. Mr. Carroll entertained Mr. Marron and about a dozen others at the Monier.

Mock Turtle Soup
Celery Olives Radishes
Planked White Fish
Hot House Cucumbers
Squab Chichen on Toast
Potatoes Naturel New Peas
Asparagus Vinaigrette
Cantaloupe a la Mode
Silver Cake
Cheese Saltines
Cafe Noir

ARRANGE TRACK MEET AT DONORA

Arrangements are about complete for holding a track and field meet at Donora on July 4. The open events will include 100 and 220 yard dashes, quarter and half mile run, one mile relay and modified Marathon of six miles. Handsome medals will be awarded to the first, second and third in each event, the most valuable ever awarded in the Monongahela valley.

There will be several closed events, including a ladies' race, boys' race, girls' race and fat man's race. There will be a tug of war between the teams of the steel works and wire works of the American Steel and Wire company. Another event of interest will be a battle royal.

There will also the a ball game between the strongest teams of this section, an aeroplane flight, a monster street parade and the usual fireworks display. All athletes of Western Pennsylvania are invited to enter the open events and help Donora celebrate a famous event in a fitting the nation's birthday since its founmanner.

CHARLEROI CHURCH LEAGUE

Last Night's Results.

W. A. Pres. 8, Methodists 4.

Standing of Clubs.

	W	L	P
First Pres	5	0	1000
W. A. Pres	3	1	.750
Methodists	3	2	.600
Christians	2	2	.500
Baptists	2	2	.500
Catholics	1	2	.333
Episcopals	0	4	.000
Lutherans	0	2	.000

MORE THAN SKIN DEEP

More than a Skin Salve is Needed to Cure Piles Permanently

Don't be disappointed if you fail to get a lasting cure of piles with salves. The cause of piles is more than skin deep. It is sluggish, flabby veins—pockets filled with thick, bad blood.

HEM-ROID, a tablet tonic remedy is taken inwardly, acts on the circulation and cures all kinds of piles throughly.

$1 for 24 days' supply at Piper Bros., Charleroi, Pa., and all druggists. Dr. Leonhardt Co., Station B, Buffalo, N. Y., mail a free booklet.

Classified Ads.

WANTED—A good, Christian housekeeper, of medium age, of good character, for respectable family by good widower, with home desires. Address Box 152 Charleroi, Pa. 270-td-j-17-24-jy1-t8p

FOR SALE—Millinery store. Good business in excellent location. Cheap if taken at once. Earl E. Forest, 261 Locust avenue. Washington, Pa. 271-t6p

FOR RENT—House on Washington avenue large enough for two families. See Blythe, room 16 Might Building. 274-t3p

FOR RENT—Appartment 7 rooms and bath. All modern conveniences. Monier building, 530 Fallowfield avenue. 270-tf

FOR RENT—Flat of 5 rooms, suitable for office or dwelling. Inquire Greenberg's. 265-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room. Apply XX Mail office. 257-tfp

LOST—Diamond studded cuff button. Return same to Swickey's Pool room and recive reward. 275-t3

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NO FURTHER REDUCTION OF RATES TO BE MADE

Announcement Shocks Coal Operators of Pittsburg District

HURTS THE LAKE TRADE

Matter Taken Up With Interstate Commerce Cammission by Pittsburg Men

Pittsburg coal operators were given a shock Friday when the announcement came that the Interstate Commerce Commission had refused to further reduce the rates on coal from the Pittsburg district to the lakes as had been asked in a petition filed after the Commission on March 11, last ordered a reduction in the then existing rates from 88 to 78 cents a ton.

This ends the contest for lower freight rates as far as the Interstate Commerce Commission is concerned and as far as it is possible to go in the present proceedings; but there was considerable talk among the leading operators that the end of the battle is not yet and that they will not rest until they have demanded a Congressional investigation of the whole rate situation or until the question has been taken up by the Federal Department of Justice

The original complaint was filed before the interstate body by John W. Boileau of Pittsburg, representing himself and other independent operators, and their petition was joined in soon afterward by the Pittsburg Coal Company. The report of the Interstate Commission ordering the 10-cent reduction in rates, upheld the contention of the operators in every particular, although the cut of 10 cents was not considered by them sufficient. However, there was no intention of making any further complaint until the action of the roads serving the West Virginia fields—against the competition of which the Pittsburg operators sought relief—virtually nullified the decree of the interstate body and left the dates to all intents and purposes where they were before the complaint was filed.

The West Virginia roads, long before the complaint of the local shippers was filed had asked the Interstate Commerce Commission for permission to raise their rates. A higher West Virginia rate would have tended to equalize the discrimination charged by the Pittsburg district shippers. But the West Virginia roads never availed themselves of the opportunity w hich they had sought for two years or more. Instead when the decree of the commerce body reducing the Pittsburg rates was handed down they actually lowered their rates from one section and from another left the rate the same.

In their second petition the Pittsburg shippers pointed out that by this action the decree of the Interstate Commerce Commission went for naught and maintained that there should be a further reduction of the tariff from this dictrict to the lakes. The argument was in effect the same as that in the first complaint and there never was the least doubt among the Pittsburg men that, inasmuch as the commission had upheld their contentions in the first place, there could be any other than a decision in their favor.

Engineer is Elected

North Charleroi Hires Alexander Gray, of Charleroi for Work

North Charleroi council at a special meeting on Saturday night elected Alexander Gray of Charleroi to the position of borough engineer. Gray is the Charleroi borough engineer. He will serve both boroughs jointly. North Charleroi will have considerable street improvement and sewering to be done this summer or fall. Part of a bond issue voted for recently will be used for that purpose.

CLASS TO RECEIVE DIPLOMAS

Douglas College Commencement to be Held Tuesday Night

THIRTY-ONE GRADUATES

Commencement exercises will be held Tuesday night by the graduating class of Doublas Business college at School Hall. Rev. W. W. Hall of Braddock will make the address of the evening, and the diplomas to the 31 graduates will be presented by Prof Warren Douglas, head of the college.

An excellent commencement program will be carried out. Three orations will be delivered, including the salutatory by Miss Lillian Snead of Fayette Ciay, the valedictory by Darwin Barth of Charleroi and an oration by Robert Gregg of Speers. Class poems will be handled by Eva I.Brantana, Miss Sara Jackson and Hugh Smith. The invocation will be said by Rev. J. T. Hackett of the First Presbyterian church and the benediction by Rev. E. G.Stanley of the First Baptist church. Wheeler's Orchestra will render music.

On Thursday night of this week an alumni banquet will be held at the Hotel Grand, Monessen,by the Douglas College Alumni. A committee consisting of Miss Margaret Miller, Paul Ryland, Miss Mabel Strausser, Miss Romala Anderson and Miss Alice Devore is making arrangements for the banquet. The program committee for the affair consists of M. Adams, Miss Emma Bastow, Miss Sara Shields, Miss P. Saturday and Miss Elizabeth Fitzgerald. The concluding event of commencement week will be a picnic at Eldora Park of the graduates and their friends.

Horse Runs Away.

When a horse of P. Deprez's bakery ran away on Crest avenue Saturday a wagon was smashed. The horse is aid to have been started by a boy hitting it with a stick.

IMPORTANT EVENTS AT CONVENTION END

William H. Taft to be Standard Bearer of Republican Party--Roosevelt One of So-Called Progressive Leaders

Two great events featured the closing of the Republican National convention at Chicago Saturday. One of these was the re-nomination of President Taft as the Repuvlican candidate for President, and the other was the birth of a new political party. The latter was formulated by the disgruntled followers of Col. Roosevelt who, beaten in the convention, organized a rump convention of their own in another hall after President Taft was chosen, and placed Theodore Roosevelt in nomination. The new party is likely to be known as the Progressive party.

President W. H. Taft, Renominated At the Republican Convention

Only one ballot was necessary for the nomination of President Taft, whose running mate is James S.Sherman of New York, his vice president of the present administration. The result of the first ballot was: Taft, 561, Cummins 17, La Follette 41, Roosevelt 107, Hughes 2, and 344 refusing to vote. The latter were Roosevelt delegate. By request Col. Roosevelt's name was not presented to the convention, but 107 delegates voted for him anyhow.

Of the 74 Pennsylvania delegates 9 voted for Taft, 2 for Hughes and 1 was absent, 62 refusing to vote Vice President Sherman was renominated by a vote of 597, 352 delegates not voting and 71 being absent.

Immediately after the nominations the Roosevelt contingent repaired to Orchestra Hall a mile distant from the Colliseum, and took preliminary steps to form a new party. Col. Roosevelt was unanimously made the choice as a candidate for President, and steps will be taken to organize a new party in every state. Another convention will be held in August, when Roosevelt announced that if desired he would retire in favor of another candidate.

The Republican platform, which is conservatively progressive, was adopted at the regular convention by a large vote.

HAS EXPERIENCE WITH CARNIVAL

Brownsville Experiments With Affair Monessen is to Get

Monessen this week will be the scene of things somewhat racy if rumors are correct and Webster's Unabridged is to be believed. A carnival has set upon the town--a carnival it is said that has come all the way from West Brownsville, where it showed last week. Whether Monessen is a party to the scheme of getting there the kind of affair that made Kittanning famous is a question for debate, but evidences there are that it is there.

There are some wild and woolly stories told of and preached about in Brownsville of the affair that showed there six days of last week. It went to West Brownsville under the title. "Great United Shows," and pitched tents just outside the borough limits. It is usual for a carnival to carry one Little Egypt, or head dancer. The Great United is said to have had three.

According to persons alleged to have seen the show at West Brownsville the damsels went precendent, Mary Garden, and the originator of the snake dance, the sun dance, the passion dance, the Salome and all the rest about forty times better. Whereas Mary Garden or some of the rest would cloak their modesty under a short string of beads,these young women who did the dance with the carnival, it is stated having no beads had to use a smile, w hich when it came to covering sheer nakedness proved a most cheerful failure. This show of course proved to be the main attraction at West Brownsville—this is all rumor bear in mind—but others attracted some too.

Among them it is said were some devices where you might do several things. For instance if you put up a dollar, you might get a part of it back and you might not. It was more often you might not than might however. Such is the kind of attraction that is said to have come to Monessen, and if rumor is to be trusted, is bound to make things warm there. At least one minister in Brownsville gave a portion of his sermon over to the carnival, and before Monessen gets through, it is not improbable that town will be listening to a few words of advice.

AUTOISTS CHARGED WITH VIOLATIONS

Claimed They Pay no Attention to Warning to Blow Horns at Crossings

Attention has been called to a violation of law by a number of autoists in Charleroi. This is in not blowing horns at street corners. Signs are posted at various corners warning autoists to blow their horns. This is a means of avoiding accidents. Regardless of the intention of the law it is alleged autoists fail to heed the warning. The probabilities are that unless this law is obeyed there will be some fines and costs to pay.

Another law that is being violated it is stated is that of running without lights, particularly rear lights. This statute will be enforced along with others.

Park Drew Large Crowds.

Large crowds were in attendance at Eldora Park Sunday. Many people from all points up and down the river took occasion to spend the whole or a a part of the day in the open, where the pleasant surroundings added much to their comfort. Two splendid concerts were given by Louhi's Band from Monessen and a compnay of Socialists present took advantages of the situation to speak and discuss the political situation.

Curb Market Tomorrow.

Tomorrow, Tuesday, is one of the regular curb market days on Sixth street. Each succeeding date has been better than the preceeding one, and indications are that more and a greater variety of produce will be offered for sale tomorrow than at any of the other markets. Housewives and citizens generally are urged to bear the fact in mind that the market will be open at an early hour. and the first ones there get the best selections.

Owing to the clerks' annual Picnic Berryman's Store will close at 5 o'clock on Wednesday evening, June 26. 276-12

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CLEAN, COOL AND COMFORTABLE. 266-tf

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CATHOLIC FEDERATION IN QUARTERLY SESSION

Washington County Organization Meets in Charleroi

JOHN MARRON SPEAKS

Pittsburger Addresses on Theme of American Citizen

Between 150 and 200 persons were present at the quarterly meeting of the Washington County Federation of Catholic societies held at Turner Hall here Sunday afternoon. This number included several delegates from all over Washington county. The main feature of the meeting was an address by John Marron, Esq., of Pittsburg.

A business meeting was held at 3 o'clock, just preceding the address by Mr. Marron. At this the routine of affairs was taken up and reports received. President Joseph Schmidt of Donora presided at the meeting.

Mr. Marron's talk wason the theme of American citizenship. He spoke of the high aims every American citizen should have and of their duty to church. "A good Catholic is a good citizen," he declared, "and the better Catholic one is the better citizen he is." He spoke of the temptations that befall one in every day life and of the plan of life as he saw it, there being a continual fight for right. Luncheon was served after his address. In the evening John W. Carroll of Charleroi entertained Mr. Marron and a dozen others at a dinner at the Monier Hotel.

The Washington County Federation includes a number of Catholic lodges in the county. Four societies from St. Jerome's church here are affiliated with the federation. They are the Knights of St. George, the Ancient Order of Hibernians, the Ladies Catholic Benevolent Association, and the Catholic Mutual Beneficial Association.

Joseph Schmidt of Donora is president of the Federation; Thomas McAllister of Finleyville, is the recording secretary; Mrs. Anna Dahy of Donora is the financial secretary and Miss Sara Shields of Charleroi is the treasurer. The last quarterly meeting was held at Donora.

Much Money on Interest

Individual Savings Now on Deposit in Banks in County

The county commissioners have just compiled from the assessors' returns the amount of money at interest in the different districts of the county. The grand total is $18,182,126 In Washington alone there is $3,507,990. In East Washington there is $1,899,102 in money at interest. The amount returned from Charleroi is $32,273.

STATE TO CARE FOR VICTIMS

Provides Tetanus Serum for Use of Fourth Celebrants

SENT TO COUNTY SEATS

The 67 tetanus antitoxin stations throughout the Commonwealth have received their supplies from the Department of Health and are ready to meet the usual Fourth of July demands.

The anti oxin will be furnished without cost to the poor and the stations are so located that every part of Pennsylvania is within easy reach of one. It is essential that the tetanus antitoxin be administered within 24 to 48 hours after the wound has been inflicted.

Any physician can secure an immunizing dose of 1500 units free upon applying to a distributing station on certifying that it is for the treatment of a person too poor to pay.

In urging the prompt use of antitoxin to prevent lock-jaw following explosives and other wounds, Dr. Dixon Commissioner of Health says:

"Do not consider any such wounds trivial, send for a physician at once. If it is impossible to promptly secure his attendance, wash out the wound thoroughly with hot, boiled water, remove every particle of foreign matter and until the doctor arrives, apply a wet dressing; cloths saturated with a solution made by adding a teaspoon full of salt to a pint of boiled water."

The antitoxin may be obtained at pharmacies of Valentine Bros., Washington; W. K. Ehrenfield,Greensburg; R. E. Springer, Uniontown; and Bean & Dunn, McKeesport.

Auto Factory For Washington.

Contracts have been let for the building of the structures of the Croxton Motor Car company plant at Washington. This company formerly operated in Cleveland, and was induced to locate at Washington through the influence of the county seat board of trade.

MONESSEN PEOPLE PLAN INSTITUTION OF A Y. M. C. A.

A movement is on foot to establish a Young Men's Association in Monessen. A committee has been appointed to ascertain the cost of a location which may be equipped with pool tables, bowling alleys, shower baths, and reading and recreation rooms. The movement is the outcome of a desire on the part of the Men's Federated Adult Bible classes for a social center. It is stated that already $3,000 has been subscribed for the project.

Rev. F. A. Richards is in Pittsburg today on business.

Owing to the clerks' annual Picnic Berryman's Store will close at 5 o'clock on Wednesday evening, June 26. 276-12

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June 23 In American History.

1860—The split Democratic conventions nominated Stephen A. Douglas and John C. Breckinridge as rival candidates, giving the election to Lincoln and resulting in civil war.

1862—Congress passed the internal revenue act taxing trade, industry and incomes to sustain the war fund.

1865—Admiral Samuel Francis Dupont, U. S. N., distinguished in the civil war, died; born 1803. Blockade of southern seaports ended by proclamation.

1892—Grover Cleveland nominated for president at Chicago by a vote of 616 out of 906.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 7:35, rises 4:29. Evening stars: Mars, Jupiter, Mercury. Morning stars: Venus, Saturn.

June 24 In American History.

1758—General William Hull, soldier, born; died 1825; surrendered Detroit to the British in 1812.

1813—Henry Ward Beecher born at Litchfield, Conn.; died 1887.

1833—John Randolph of Roanoke, noted and eccentric Virginia statesman, died; born 1773.

1910—Senator Gore of Oklahoma charged that a $50,000 bribe had been offered to him to permit validation by congress for the sale of Indian lands.

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TAFT FOR PRESIDENT.

In renominating President Taft as the candidate of the Republican party for President, the leaders may not have showed good judgment from a political standpoint as viewed in a practical way, but they did show their appreciation and the appreciation of the party to the administration of an executive who in the face of much popular discontent and revolt has filled the executive chair with ability, dignity and force. It has always been the custom to honor a President who has made a progressive and honorable administration with a second term and President Taft is no exception.

In view of the great political unrest that is everywhere apparent, due to changing economic conditions, political exigency might have dictated the nomination of another condidate, but as it is policies and not men which must determine the issue, President Taft was the logical candidate of his party. His ability, integrity, and patriotism stand unquestioned, and his desire to adminster justly and impartially to all of the people as indicated by public sentiment is also incontrovertible. The great opposition that has been directed against him is due to conditions and not to any derelictions or omissions on his part. In this he has been the victim of circumstances which under different conditions would never have figured in the campaign.

Any executive who may be elected at this particular period will have a story time guiding the ship of state, and no man is so ably qualified as President Taft. He should be re-elected.

A SAFE AND SANE FOURTH

Although a trifle early, newspapers and periodicals are soundig a note of warning in regard to a safe and sane Fourth of July. This is particularly timely, inasmuch as the casualities that have resulted from celebrating dation, have exceeded in killed alone the lives lost in the whole eight years of the war of the Revolution.

It is with juveniles in particular that care needs to be exercised in the way of a safe and sane observance of the Fourth. The explosives that are usually available to the average small boy are a deadly menace and there is scarcely a community in which there is not a toll exacted in maimed or injured because of the license and liberty granted in the use of explosives. A boy blinded here by the premature explosion of a giant firecracker; another there minus a thumb or a finger, or one or two killed or wounded by the premature discharge or explosion of an improvised cannon are the ghastly reports that greet the public the next day after the Fourth. The aggregate of these constitutes a mighty toll thoughout the country.

Every father should carefully watch his young hopeful, and see that he runs no unnecessary risk. By so doing he can preserve the youngster's anatomy intact, which will be useful to the boy in after life, to say nothing of trouble and expense at the present time. Give the boy a good time, but see that he does not injure himself or any of his playmates.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

The man who always tries to get prices reduced is never popular.

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There are other kinds of successful parades than a circus parade.

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When they insist in calling Roosevelt the hero of Oyster Bay is a deep problem. He never did anything very heroic there, unless it was to spend his summers.

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Finally a man is trying to invent something worth while. It is a kind of liquid gas.

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Monessen pulls off about one old fashioned joke a year, and it has some very queer ideas of humor in making its selection. This year's is to be a carnival.

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There needs to be no need of the familiar shout, "Get the Hook," out at Chicago.

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Telling a deligate where he will go to if he doesn't vote a certain way seems to have little effect on him.

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It's a bum home, according to an exchange that a man isn't glad to get back to after a vacation.

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An exchange remarks that it is very hard to find a woman pessimist. But we know of one who tried to commit suicide.

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Who said that the time of the ward politician is past?

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The moving picture men will have to start up a new brand of revolution, or suffer the ntire lack of patronage.

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When prudence comes to a man he is generally too old for it to do him any good.

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Some men fail because they think this is the age of living instead of moving pictures.

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History invariably repeats itself at the family reunion.

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Many men are progressives in politics, but rank conservatives when the contribution plate comes around.

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The whale that swallowed Jonah is said to be the original water wagon.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

Dr. John E. Carson speaking at the Sunday School convention tent told a story of Lord Roseberry and Sir Joseph Chamberlain, two of the most noted men of recent English history. They saw a policeman asleep on his beat in London—a remarkable thing. Stopping to discuss the phenamena, they spied a boy, and called him.

"Here," Lord Roseberry said to the lad, "You take this stick and waken him."

The boy demurred at first, through fear, but finally agreed. When he did awaken the policeman, of course the first thing the cop did was to give chase. He caught the youngster, and placed him under arrest. Lord Roseberry and Sir Joseph protested and the policeman took them too.

Before the magistrate they were immediately taken. "What is your name," asked that dignatary of Lord Roseberry."

"Lord Roseberry, sir."

The boy drew aside with the thought that he was surely in the presence of rayalty.

"And who are you," the magistrate inquired of Chamberlain.

"Sir Joseph Chamberlain sir."

The lad was made more nervous than ever, and thought sure here he was with fame—that is, apparently he thought so.

Completing his entry, the magistrate turned to the lad and asked:

"And what is you name."

The youngster drew himself to his fullest height and with an air of pride delivered himself:

"I am the Duke of Wellington, sir."

"That," concluded Dr. Carson," is what I call rising to the occasion."

Prof. Charles Scanlon didn't have any overflow meeting to address at the First Christian church Friday night, but he was given 15 minutes following the address of Dr. J. F. Carson at the Sunday School convention tent. He wasn't long getting the ear of his audience. Among other stories he related one about as follows:

"A man called in a doctor to see his wife who has been ailing for some weeks. Hardly had the doctor seen the woman until he advised the man thusly: 'You will have to send her to a warmer place.'

"But, doctor—."

"No buts, these are my orders."

"All right, then, here's the hatchet, you hit 'er first."

Italian Winters.

The people of Florence, Italy, have a dislike for heating devices in their houses, although the weather in winter, especially when the tramontane is blowing, is uncomfortably cold. None of the houses have fireplaces, and the man who warms himself by means of the "scaldino," a pan of glowing ashes, is considered effeminate.

Nothing to Worry About.

"Are you not afraid that some of your children will fall into that open cistern?" asked the nervous boarder, looking over the picket fence in the back yard. "Oh, no, mum," came the complacent reply. "Anyhow, it ain't where we gets our drinkin' water."—Hampton's Magazine.

All Active.

Don't be a clam, my son; but if an old friend comes to you and asks for the loan of $5 until Saturday night, just close your shell for repairs. It may look rude, but under some circumstances it is better to leave than to be left.

Five Languages at Tailors' Meeting.

At the meeting of the International Journeymen Tailors' Union over eight hundred people employed in the trade turned out. English, Irish, Scotch, Hebrew, French, Italian and Finnish were used by the speakers in their addresses.—Toronto Globe.

Searchlight on the Sky.

Mrs. E. A. Bishop of Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "I should like to have the merits of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound thrown on the sky with a searchlight, so that all suffering women could read and be convinced that there is a remedy for their ills. For years I was a great sufferer from organic female troubles and had despaired of ever being well again, but found relief in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which I tried as a last resort."

For nearly forty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills.

Notice.

Sealed bids will be received by J. M. Hill, secretary, until July 2 at 6 p. m. for the erecting and furnishing of slate black boards for six rooms of the Ninth street school building, 1,275 square feet more or less. Slate must be four feet wide. The board reserves the right to reject any 274-t9 J. M. Hill, Sec.

Grand "UNITED STAMP" Collectors Contest

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Stamp Collectors must be present at time of contest. Dont forget the day and date.

"Everybodys Doing It"

LOCAL DEMOCRATS OFF TO CONVENTION

Charleroi will be represented at the Democratic national convention this week at Baltimore, Md., by Dr. J. W. Manon and E. H. Arrison, both prominent Democrats in this county. They obtained seats for the convention from the national chairman, Norman Mack.

YOUNG PEOPLE TAKE TRIP BY STEAMBOAT

A party of 46 young people from Charleroi, Monessen, Fayette City, Donora, Belle Vernon and other points nearby, took a trip to Morgantown Saturday night by the boat I. C. Woodward returning on Sunday night. They took their own orchestra and enjoyed themselves generally.

Organize Military Band.

At a meeting at Monongahela held last week the Monongahela Military Band was re-organized. The original organization dates back 20 years or more. It is the intention to revive the organization and have a first-class band. A leader and officers will be chosen later.

Money to Loan
$10 Upward

on furniture, pianos, organs, etc. Everything left in your possession. Loan repaid in small weekly or monthly payments. Low rates and easy terms guaranteed. We make loans anywhere within 20 miles of Charleroi. All business strictly confidential.

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Shoes repaired while you wait.

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THE PRIMER OF SUCCESS

Do you want a position?
Do you want a girl?
Do you want to rent your furnished room?
Do you want to sell your house?
Do you want to sell your eggs, poultry or live stock?
Have you lost anything?
Have you anything to trade?
Do you want to sell your piano?

There are many who want to do one or the other of these things. Most of them don't know how to go about it. If they could only tell the people what they want they would be all right. If they could only let the people know without disclosing their identity that might be better still.

If you wont to buy, sell or secure any of the above, or if you want to trade anything, did it ever occur to you that the best thing in the world to do is to use the Classified Columns of the Mail.

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HARD TO READ FACES

ONE NEVER CAN BE SURE OF HIS JUDGMENTS.

Facial Expression Is Constantly Changing and Correctly to Determine Character From It Is a Fine and Intricate Art.

The living face in its relation to the real character might be likened to an expert juggler manipulating the various articles of his mystic trade. Except in moments of revery or abstraction the expression is constantly changing; it scarcely remains the same for five consecutive seconds It is a case of "Now you see me, and now you dont't," and it is extremely difficult to determine when you may be catching a glimpse of the real character, and when the fleeting expression may be a misleading token, involuntary, perhaps, on the part of the individual, but cunningly calculated by nature to deceive the eye of the spectator.

Hence the genuine ability to "read character" in facial expression is much rarer than is commonly supposed. It is not only a fine art but an intricate one. Most persons who fancy that they possess it in some degree are really proceeding upon a sort of blind instinct, which is likely to be deceived entirely by superficial indications. The accurate judges of men are extremely scarce, their gift is one which should invariably lead them to success if they are blessed with half an opportunity.

The appraisal of character by photographic evidence may be as erroneous as that which is based on the living face, but at least the photograph gives opportunity for continuous study and shows none of those shifting moods which are sure to confuse the judgment The camera catches its subject as he or she may appear at the given moment. It may be an inopportune moment, the camera may be a poor one, there may be a fault in the plate, or the photographer may lack skill, but something of the true soul and character of the subject is bound to appear on the surface and to stand revealed to all who see it.

The truth may be somewhat qualified by the fact that the average person in front of the camera is invariably more or less self-conscious, but in general effect the dominant qualities are at least partially revealed, so that in almost any photographic portrait one may see strength of character, vanity, self-esteem nobility meanness, fussiness, unscrupulousness or what not, as the case may be

When photographs are "reproduced" by half-tone process the essential facts of the physiognomy are sometimes obscured, especially in the hurried processes of newspaper portraiture Still, in all but the most atrocious examples of such art, these essential facts show through, even if it be with but a dim glow.—Providence Journal.

Washington Man's White Farm.

Eugene Jacquemin has acquired his heart's desire, a farm on which are pure white animals and fowls, all housed in spotless shelters and permitted to roam within bounds of snowy fences This "white farm" is unique because it contains many specimens of albino wild animals and birds.

White horses do all the farm work and are the drivers and saddle animals. White ponies play with the children. White cows furnish butter and milk. There are white hogs, sheep and goats. The pigeons, chickens, ducks, geese, turkeys and guinea fowls were imported from Africa. A novelty is a pair of peacocks pure white. About the yard three spitz dogs play and white Persian cats lounge on the porches. In the orchard the eccentric farmer has an albino elk, three white deer, a mountain sheep and a polar bear cub. These are in aviaries a pure white magpie, white blackbirds, pheasants, wild swan, cranes and storks.—Puyallup correspondence St. Paul Dispatch.

The Defendant's Version.

Referring to his diary of June 22, 1908, Mr. Studley said it was untrue that, coming home from Lady Glen-Coats' ball, he violently pulled his wife out of a cab and forced her onto her knees, so that she fell on the pavement.

What occurred was this: "About ten minutes to 2, at the ball, I went to my wife and said, 'Cherub, are you ready to go home?' She said, 'Oh, let me stay a little.' I said, 'Very well; I'll come back shortly.' About five minutes past 2 I asked her if she were ready, and she, with very bad grace, said, 'Yes.' I said, 'I can't get up in the morning if I don't go to bed.' We got into a hansom, and during the short distance to Sloan street she turned on me in a temper and said, 'You spoil all my fun, you brute,' and she let out at me and smashed my hat down over my face—all for nothing."—London Daily News.

Force of Habit Strong.

At the informal gamboi which was given by the Chicago members of the Lambs' club recently John Drew told of an actor who had the misfortune to fall off a ferry boat at night. Of course there was great confusion on board. The searchlight was turned round and round in an effort to find the man. He came up for the third time just as the light struck him, and from force of habit the actor raised himself and delivered a most ceremonious bow. Then the rescuers grabbed him.

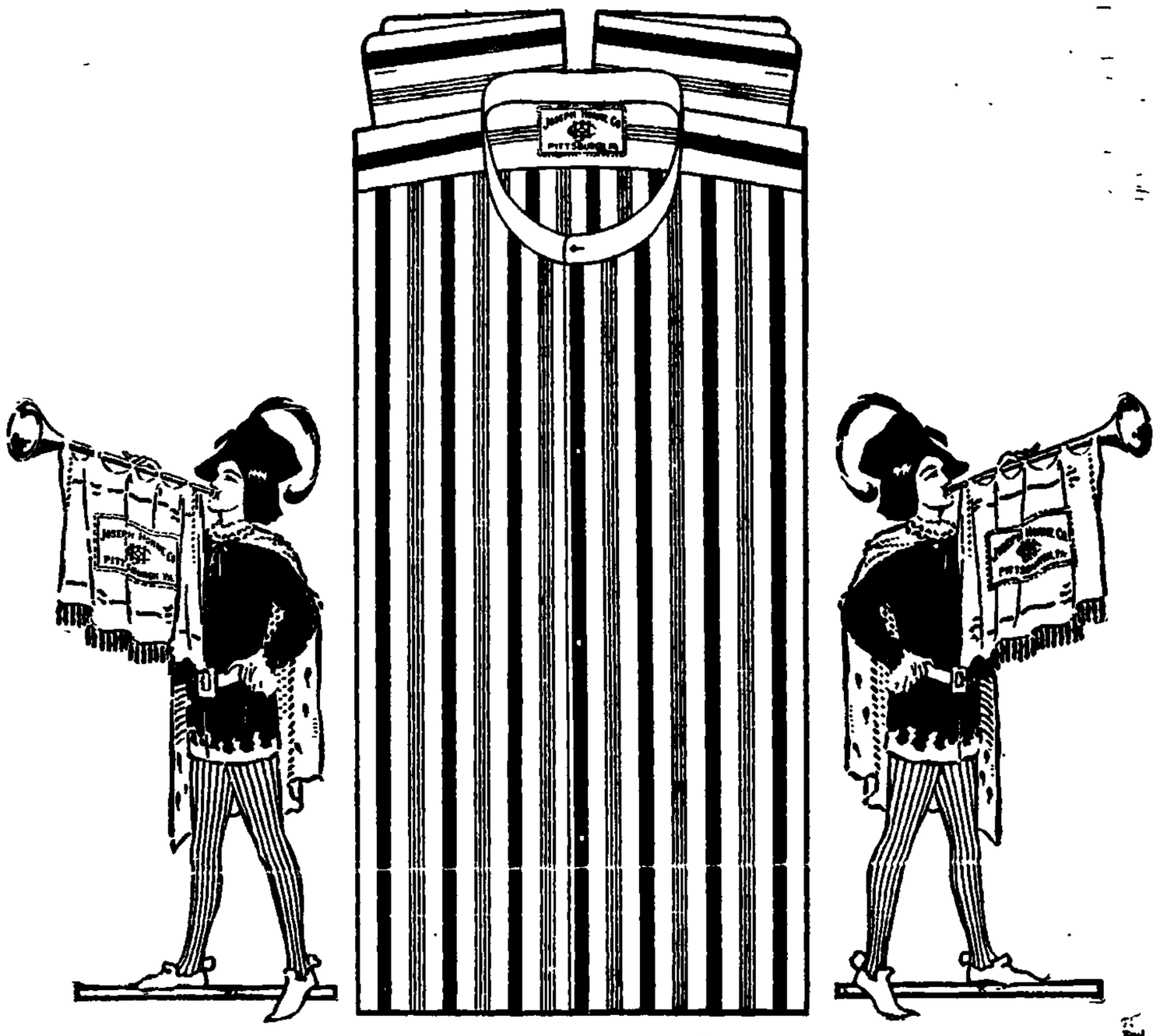
JOSEPH HORNE CO.

OF PITTSBURGH

Announce that the world's largest sale of Men's Shirts will be held this summer on

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of This week, June 26, 27, 28 and 29.

It is known as their



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Horne's Shirt Sale is known in thousands of homes in and around Pittsburgh. It is held twice a year and in the past 15 years has grown to be the LARGEST SALE OF MEN'S SHIRTS IN THE WORLD.

Last January we sold 22,500 shirts.

This sale will have in it 30,000 shirts—the largest single order ever placed with a manufacturer.

As heretofore, the price will be 85c.

The unique feature of the 1912 summer sale will be the enormous quantities of all sizes, particularly the great varieties of shirts FOR LARGE MEN—sizes to 20 neck, and bodies cut to FIT MEN WHO REQUIRE THAT SIZE.

Men who can not attend this sale, and who can not be represented by some member of the family, may mail us their order, stating the size and quantity desired and the patterns they prefer. Our selections will be sent you subject to your approval and at our risk.

ALSO IN THIS SALE ARE THE FOLLOWING:

Men's collars, 4 ply, $1.00 a dozen. Pajamas, $1.50 a Suit.

Silk Lisle Socks, guaranteed for service, 25c a pair.

50c Washable neckwear for 25c each. Fine quality Muslin Nightshirts, 50c each.

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PITTSBURGH.

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Have you fitted out your porch with Shades and Rugs? If you haven't do you realize what comfort you are missing.

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Porch mattings are essential to cleanliness and comfort. We carry a full line of Grass Rugs and Runners. Rugs in all sizes. runners 27 inches, 36 inches, 54 inches and 72 inches wide. Priced **40c** to **$1.15.**

VUDOR SHADES

4 feet by 7 feet 8 inches, $2.25 **8 feet by 7 feet 8 inches, $4.25**
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12 feet by 7 feet 8 inches, $7.50

VUDOR RE-ENFORCED HAMMOCKS, $1.75 to $6.00

Owing to the Clerks' Annual Picnic the store will close at 5 o'clock p. m., on Wednesday, June 26th

S. & H. Stamps **J. W. Berryman & Son** **S. & H. Stamps**

CHARLEROI'S LIVE STORE

NARROWLY ESCAPE SERIOUS ACCIDENT

Auto Cross Walk and Heads for House When Driver Loses Control

In losing control of his automobile while teaching a young woman how to run it Sunday afternoon, J. F. Donaghy narrowly escaped a serious accident that might have resulted in the death or severe injury of three or more persons. Mr. Donaghy and the girl had gone around one square, it is stated and were coming up Ninth street to Fallowfield avenue, the girl was at the wheel and Mr. Donaghy standing on the running board assisting her when they lost control of the machine. It wheeled and went across he sidewalk in front of the home of Mrs. Delia Halstead and up into the lawn.

Three children, the son of Mrs. Halstead, a daughter of Joseph Irose and a daughter of Councilman Oscar C. Linn were on the walk playing. The machine nearly struck them. It stopped a short distance from the front of the porch. Merely by luck did the machine maintain its upright position. Had it gone but a few inches farther or had it overturned the results might have been fatal to the occupants and the children nearby.

COMMENCEMENT NOW UNDER WAY

California Normal Graduates to Receive Sheepskins This Week

With many of the alumni of the school back to attend the exercises and everything pointing to one of the greatest events in the history of the school, the commencement exercises at the Southwestern State Normal school at California are now in full swing.

At the school building on Saturday evening the reception to the members of the senior class and a few invited guests was given by the members of the faculty and the board of trustees.

Sunday morning Dr. H. B. Davis principal of the school delivered the baccalureate sermon to the class.

Sunday evening the vesper services were held at which Prof. H. S. Howell, principal of the Ashburnham school, of Massachusetts, addressed the graduating class.

Features scheduled for today were the annual inter-class tennis tourney in the morning at 9:30 o'clock and the play to be given by the middler class in the evening. The production will be Shakespeare's "The Tempest."

NOT RECKLESS BUT WANT TO DRIVE 24 MILES PER HOUR

At a meeting of the Automobile Club of Washington county, held in the club headquarters at Washington June 21, it was

Resolved, That the members of the club are opposed to reckless and unlawful driving, but resent the attempt of certain officials of the county to restrict automobiles to a speed of less than 24 miles an hour on country roads; particularly on the road out Locust avenue.

Resolved, further, That the curb shall defend, free of cost any member of the club who is arrested for speeding on country roads in case the member so arrested is willing to testify that he was driving at a speed of 24 miles or less an hour, and that there were no circumstances which made that speed dangerous either to himself or to others.

JACKY ADAMS' TEAM BEATEN

The Charleroi Independents defeated the Homestead Independents at baseball on the local field Saturday by the schore of 4 to 3. Jacky Adams who last winter headed the Charleroi basketball team was at the head of the visiting delegation and pitched for the Homesteaders. He did a pretty good job of it, but Keifer seemed to have something the better of him. Charleroi got its four runs in the third inning on two hits and misplays to match. Homestead secured its three runs in the sixth inning on the same number of hits.

One More Day

BOTTLE REXALL "93" HAIR TONIC $1.00
GUARANTEED BRUSH $1.00
TOTAL $2.00

You get it today for $1.00

Carroll's Drug Store
THE REXALL STORE

LOCAL MENTION

Warren Kinder and Floyd Chalfant were in Brownsville Sunday, where the former sang at the Central Presbyterian church.

Owing to the clerks' annual Picnic Berryman's Store will close at 5 o'clock on Wednesday evening, June 26. 276-12

Controller John Moffitt of Washington and brother, Guy Moffitt, Esq., were in Brownsville from Charleroi Sunday.

Eddie Butz, formerly a member of Christ Lutheran church baseball team in the Charleroi Church League arrived Saturday for a visit.

F. E. Bonnell and sister Miss Lucy and Miss Bertha V. Baker are absent on a trip to Philadelphia, New York city and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Riggs and daughter Metta of Pittsburg have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Reeves of Fallowfield avenue.

Miss Nancy Frye of Gallatin, Tenn has returned home after a visit of some weeks with Miss Leona Evan.

Bruce Barnett witnessed a base ball game in Pittsburg Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis P. Flickinger, Jr., were Sunday visitors in Pittsburg.

Miss Lulu Johnson spent Sunday in McKeesport with relatives.

Roy James and Robert Worthington were in California Saturday to attend a Normal School reception.

Mrs. T. F. Lindsay and nephew have gone to Bellwood where they will visit relatives.

D. C. Whitlatch visited Sunday in Rices Landing at the home of his brother, John L. Whitlatch.

H. P. Jacobs has returned from a fishing trip near Howard, Center county.

Mrs. Elmer Small and her father, Barney Sharpnack have gone to Rices Landing to visit.

Miss Fannie Arrison and Muriel Scott have gone to State College to spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Parkinson, who live near Waynesburg have been visiting the latter's parents, Dr. and Mrs. N. W. Patton of Washington avenue.

Mrs. Elizabeth Warne of Washington was an over Sunday visitor of her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Hunter of Washington avenue.

Miss Margaret Crouse of Wilkinsburg is the guest this week of Miss Vida Goehring of Meadow avenue.

M. W. Bartmess of Wilkinsburg was a visitor at the home of L. H. Goehring of Meadow avenueover Sunday.

Miss Kate Gamble, a member of this year's High School class, passed junior and middle year examinations at California and is ready to enter the senior class for next year.

Mrs C. R. Trew has arrived home after an extended visit among friends and relatives at Republic, Lemont, Mt. Braddock and Pennsville.

GOOD MENU AT HONOR DINNER

The following menue was served at the dinner given Sunday evening by John W. Carroll in honor of John Marron, Esq., of Pittsburg, the speaker at the Federated Catholic societies' meeting here Sunday. Mr. Carroll entertained Mr. Marron and about a dozen others at the Monier.

Mock Turtle Soup
Celery Olives Radishes
Planked White Fish
Hot House Cucumbers
Squab Chichen on Toast
Potatoes Naturel New Peas
Asparagus Vinaigrette
Cantaloupe a la Mode
Silver Cake
Cheese Saltines
Cafe Noir

ARRANGE TRACK MEET AT DONORA

Arrangements are about complete for holding a track and field meet at Donora on July 4. The open events will include 100 and 220 yard dashes, quarter and half mile run, one mile relay and modified Marathon of six miles. Handsome medals will be awarded to the first, second and third in each event, the most valuable ever awarded in the Monongahela valley.

There will be several closed events, including a ladies' race, boys' race, girls' race and fat man's race. There will be a tug of war between the teams of the steel works and wire works of the American Steel and Wire company. Another event of interest will be a battle royal.

There will also the a ball game between the strongest teams of this section, an aeroplane flight, a monster street parade and the usual fireworks display. All athletes of Western Pennsylvania are invited to enter the open events and help Donora celebrate a famous event in a fitting the nation's birthday since its founmanner.

CHARLEROI CHURCH LEAGUE

Last Night's Results.

W. A. Pres. 8, Methodists 4.

Standing of Clubs.

	W	L	P
First Pres	5	0	1000
W. A. Pres	3	1	.750
Methodists	3	2	.600
Christians	2	2	.500
Baptists	2	2	.500
Catholics	1	2	.333
Episcopals	0	4	.000
Lutherans	0	2	.000

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REFUSES TO GO HOME; FIGHT IS FINAL RESULT

When friends tried to take Joe Poppish home Saturday, after arguing that he "had had enough" they stirred up trouble that ended in police court. Chums of Joe's were arguing with him when John Molinsbock came along. He too was a friend of Joe's and undertook to persuade the latter that his proper place was in bed asleep.

Joe didn't seem to think so, and became so annoyed at the arguing that he grabbed John's shirt and started to tear it. Joe is a little fellow and John a man of considerable proportion.

Finally John became peeved at the kind of behavior of Joe and punched him one. Then there was a fight. Joe got kicked twice in the head, so that after he was brought to the lockup a doctor had to be called. Joe was fined $1 and costs and John was given the same dose. The doctor's bill was divided and everything ended happily.

MONONGAHELA FINDS PLAYGROUNDS NEED

The Monongahela Republican says that the police there are having a lot of trouble with juvenile offenders. Boys now out of school are trespassing on private property, jumping on and off freight and street cars, and raising cain generally. Monongahela has as yet no public playground, but by following Charleroi's example would do much to mitigate these offenses by boys who have no place or opportunity to give vent to their animal spirits.

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